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## BY FEDEX AND EMAIL

Honorable Katherine B. Forrest United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Room 745 New York, N.Y. 10007

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Re:

Eimont Bronzini v. Classic Security LLC,

Docket No. 11 Civ. 2096

Dear Judge Forrest:

We are the attorneys for defendant Classic Security LLC ("Classic") in the above-referenced action. We write with regard to plaintiff's Motion to Compel Discovery, dated September 26, 2012. We respectfully submit that plaintiff's motion should be denied for several reasons.

As an initial matter, plaintiff's motion should be denied because plaintiff has failed to comply with Rule 2F of this Court's Individual Practices and Local Civil Rule 37.2 governing discovery disputes. Plaintiff failed to submit a letter to this Court describing the nature of the discovery dispute prior to filing his motion, and also made no effort whatsoever to meet and confer with Classic with regard to the documents he contends Classic is required to produce and allegedly failed to produce. Contrary to plaintiff's representations in his affidavit accompanying his motion to compel — other than making the bald statement during his deposition that Classic produced nothing in response to his discovery demands, which as discussed below is far from the truth — plaintiff never attempted to confer with Classic in good faith either before or after his deposition on September 18, 2012 or at any time thereafter. I specifically asked plaintiff after his deposition either to call us or to identify in writing what documents he believed we had in our possession and had not produced, but plaintiff did neither prior to filing his baseless motion.

Plaintiff's motion to compel also should be denied because it lacks merit. Contrary to plaintiff's accusation that "Defendant disagreed to provide initial disclosures", Classic served plaintiff with its Initial Disclosures on July 20, 2012 (a copy is annexed hereto). On or about August 15, 2012, plaintiff served Classic with Plaintiff's First Request for Production of Documents and Interrogatories (the "Requests"). On September 14, 2012, we served Classic's

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responses and objections to the Requests and produced over 300 documents. Yesterday, prior to learning about plaintiff's motion, we also supplemented Classic's responses and produced an additional 300 documents in response to the Requests.

We would be happy to discuss these issues with the Court. However, for the foregoing reasons, we do not believe motion practice is necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

Andrew W. Singer

cc: Eimont Bronzini (via FedEx)

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SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	_
EIMONT BRONZINI Plaintiff,	
- against -	: : DEFENDANT'S INITIAL : DISCLOSURES PURSUANT TO
CLASSIC SECURITY LLC,	: RULE 26(a)
Defendant.	:

PURSUANT to Rule 26(a) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure (the "Federal Rules"),
Defendant Classic Security LLC ("Defendant"), by its attorneys Tannenbaum Helpern Syracuse
& Hirschtritt LLP, make the following initial disclosures:

## A. Witnesses

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

The name and, if known, the address and telephone number of each individual now known to Defendant to be likely to have discoverable information concerning the claims raised by plaintiff in the above-entitled action (the "Action") that Defendant may use to support their claims or defenses, unless solely for impeachment, and the subjects of the information possessed by each, are as follows:

Individual	Subjects
Roderick Jessamy	Job responsibilities of employees, employee
Director of Operations	compensation, complaints from building managers and
Classic Security LLC	employees regarding Plaintiff, employee scheduling,
70 West 36th Street	company policies, and the decision to terminate
New York, NY 10018	Plaintiff.
Drew Marsenison	Job responsibilities of employees, employee
Human Resources Manager	compensation, complaints from building managers and
Alliance Building Services	employees regarding Plaintiff, employee scheduling,
70 West 36 <sup>th</sup> Street	company policies, and the decision to terminate
New York, NY 10018	Plaintiff.
Robert Abreu	Job responsibilities of employees, employee
Executive Vice President	compensation, complaints from building managers and

Individual	Subjects
Alliance Building Services 70 West 36 <sup>th</sup> Street	employees about Plaintiff, employee scheduling,
i ·	company policies, and the decision to terminate
New York, NY 10018	Plaintiff.
Mr. Robert Savage	Company policies and human resources issues; job
Vice President of Human Resources	responsibilities of employees, complaints from building
Alliance Building Services	managers and employees regarding Plaintiff, and the
70 West 36th Street	decision to terminate Plaintiff.
New York, NY 10018	
Ms. Anne D. Fahy	Job responsibilities of employees, employee
Executive Vice President	compensation, complaints from building managers and
Classic Security LLC	employees regarding Plaintiff, employee scheduling,
70 West 36th Street	company policies, and the decision to terminate
New York, NY 10018	Plaintiff.
Jeremiah Berkley	Employee scheduling, company policies, and
Scheduling Manager	complaints from building managers and employees
Classic Security LLC	regarding Plaintiff.
70 West 36th Street	
New York, NY 10018	
Will Darius	Employee scheduling, and complaints from building
Dispatcher	managers and employees regarding Plaintiff.
Classic Security LLC	
70 West 36 <sup>th</sup> Street	
New York, NY 10018	
Andrea M. Mesis-Bruno	Job responsibilities of employees, complaints from
Account Executive	building managers and employees regarding Plaintiff,
Classic Security LLC	employee scheduling, company policies and the
70 West 36th Street	decision to terminate Plaintiff.
New York, NY 10018	
John Dobbins	Command discipline of employees and employee
Field Supervisor	complaints.
Alliance Building Services	
70 West 36 <sup>th</sup> Street	,
New York, NY 10018	
Kyle Bunce	Command discipline of employees and complaints
Field Supervisor	from building managers and tenants regarding Plaintiff.
Classic Security LLC	
70 West 36 <sup>th</sup> Street	
New York, NY 10018	
Amable Arias	Command discipline of employees, employee
Field Supervisor	scheduling, and complaints from building managers
Classic Security LLC	regarding Plaintiff.
70 West 36 <sup>th</sup> Street	•
New York, NY 10018	
Agnes Foster	Employee complaints regarding Plaintiff.
Classic Security Guard	

<u>Individual</u>	Subjects
Classic Security LLC	
70 West 36th Street	
New York, NY 10018	
Kimberly Danza	Employee complaints regarding Plaintiff
Classic Security Guard	
Classic Security LLC	
70 West 36th Street	
New York, NY 10018	
Maria Rivera	Employee complaints regarding Plaintiff.
Classic Security Guard	
Classic Security LLC	
70 West 36th Street	
New York, NY 10018	
Jon Auer	Building engineer's requests and complaints regarding
Chief Engineer	Plaintiff, and the decision to remove Plaintiff from his
Swig Equities, LLC	work assignment at 80 Broad Street building.
80 Broad Street	
New York, New York 10004	
Norman Zeller	Building manager's requests and complaints regarding
Senior Vice President- Director of	Plaintiff, and the decision to remove Plaintiff from his
Property Management	work assignment at 80 Broad Street building.
Swig Equities, LLC	
80 Broad Street	
New York, New York 10004	
Ms. Lolita Bronzini	Employee assignments, transfers, compensation and
2251 81st Street Apt. C-1	any alleged retaliation or discrimination by Defendant.
Brooklyn, New York 11214	

Defendant reserves the right to supplement the above response in the event further individuals likely to have discoverable information come to Defendant's attention.

# B. Documents

A description, by category and location, of all documents, data compilations and tangible things in Defendant's possession, custody or control concerning the claims raised by plaintiff in the action is as follows:

Category	<u>Location</u>
Business records of Defendant.	Defendant's possession, custody and control.
Personnel files for Plaintiff and Ms. Lolita	Defendant's possession, custody and control.

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Documents reflecting employee assignments, transfers and compensation.	Defendant's possession, custody and control.
Documents regarding Plaintiff's termination by Defendant,	Defendant's possession, custody and control.
Documents concerning building policies governing security officers.	Defendant's possession, custody and control.
Documents reflecting command disciplines for Plaintiff.	Defendant's possession, custody and control.
Documents reflecting customer and employee complaints regarding Plaintiff.	Defendant's possession, custody and control.

#### C. **Damages**

Not applicable.

#### Insurance Agreement D.

Not applicable.

Dated: New York, New York

July 20, 2012

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TO:

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## AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY U.S. REGULAR MAIL

STATE OF NEW YORK )
) ss.:
COUNTY OF NEW YORK )

Gail Burwa, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am not a party to this action, am over eighteen years of age, and reside in Whiting, New Jersey.

On July 20, 2012, I served via U.S. regular mail a true & correct copy of the **DEFENDANT'S INITIAL DISCLOSURES PURSUANT TO RULE 26(a)** dated 7/20/12 by depositing the true and correct copy thereof in a postpaid wrapper, in an official depository under the exclusive care and custody of the United States Postal Service within New York State, addressed to Eimont Bronzini, 2251 81st Street, Apt. C-1, Brooklyn, New York 11214.

Dated: New York, New York July 20, 2012

Gail Burwa

Tannenbaum Helpern Syracuse Hirschtritt LLP

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New York, New York 10022

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Sworn to before me this 20th day of July, 2012

Notary Public

ZEV F. RABEN.
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NEW YORK
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